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## Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 8733.870.00-US Examiner Art Unit Filing Date Application No. Not Yet Assigned N/A 10/661,472 September 15, 2003 Applicant(s): Sang S. Lee, et al. Invention: SUBSTRATE BONDING MACHINE FOR LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Extra Claims Previously After Rate Amendment Paid Present **Total Claims** 113 113 Х Independent 5 5 Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): 0.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: **Small Entity** x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. in the amount of \$ Please charge Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x | The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

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## FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

## Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS** 

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to Figures 7, 24-31, and 33-35. These

sheets, which include Figures 7, 24-31, and 33-35, replace the original sheets including Figures

7, 24-31, and 33-35.

In Figure 7, previously omitted reference numerals 666-669 have been added.

In Figures 24-31 and 33-35, reference numeral "880," indicating "tension adjusting jigs,"

has been added and location of the reference numeral "870," indicating the "rotating part" has

been corrected.

Attachments: Replacement Sheets

Annotated Sheets Showing Changes